

RURAL HEALTH POLICY COUNCIL

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

California Rural Health Policy Council

Wednesday, December 1, 2004, 1:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.
Sheraton Grand, Sacramento
1230 J Street, Sacramento, California

Authority: This public meeting is conducted pursuant to Section 1179.2, California Health and Safety Code.

Purpose of the public meeting: The purpose of California Rural Health Policy Council's public meetings are to provide public access to California's top rural health policy makers in a roundtable setting conducive to discussing rural health challenges and issues. This meeting adheres to the Bagley Keene Open Meeting Act, and will be held in conjunction with the California State Rural Health Association's Annual Conference, Meeting Rural Needs: Putting People First

Call to Order – Introductions - Opening Remarks

Policy Council – Department Updates

Featured Presentation: MediCal Redesign in California

Sandra Shewry, M.P.H., M.S.W., Director, Department of Health Services

Diane Van Maren, M.P.A., Principal Consultant, Senate Budget and Fiscal Review

Roundtable Discussion

Closing Remarks

Adjourn to conference

Note: Written testimony and questions are encouraged and can be submitted prior to November 29, 2004 to the California Rural Health Policy Council Office at 1600 Ninth Street, Room 440, Sacramento, CA 95814, by fax at (916) 651-7875, or E-mail at rhpc@oshpd.state.ca.us

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Public Comment will close when there are no more people wishing to speak **or at 3:00 p.m., whichever occurs first.*